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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an Amendment and Response in response to the Office Action dated August 23, 2007 in the above-identified application.

 \boxtimes Applicants petition for an extension of time, the fees for which are set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), for the total number of months checked below:

Requested	Fee for Extension of Time			
first month second month third month	\$ 120.00/ 60.00 \$ 460.00/ 230.00 \$1,050.00/ 525.00			

Extension of time fee due with this request: \$ 1,050.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a Petition therefore.

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The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	30	MINUS	20	= 10	x 50/25 =	\$ 500.00
INDEP.	2	MINUS	3	= 0	x 210/105 =	\$ 0.00
Third Month Extension of Time					\$ 1,050.00	
					SUB-TOTAL	\$ 1,550.00
Reduce by 1/2 for Small Entity				\$ 0.00		
					TOTAL	\$ 1,550.00

	No additional fee is required.
	A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is attached.
	Please charge my Deposit Account No. 50-1349 the amount of \$ 1,550.00.
	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1349.
[Any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.
[Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.

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